

LIVESTOCK AUCTION, SPRINGER HEIFER SALE, RAISIN PIE CONTEST, WESTERN MUSIC, MOTORCYCLE RACES, DESTRUCTION DERBY AT FAIR

TULARE — Highlight events scheduled for final three days and nights of the 1974 Tulare County Fair that is now underway on the fairgrounds in Tulare will include a country-western music show, motorcycle scramble races, a destruction derby, market livestock auction, springer heifer sale, raisin pie contest, all-cotton fashion show, and professional entertainment on outdoor stages during the afternoon and evening.

Bobby Bare, top-rated

country-western singer, will present two free grandstand shows Saturday - at 7 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. He will be backed by an all-star cast of Glenn Ash, Kay Austin, and Billy Armstrong.

These nationally-known entertainers will also present evening shows, Friday, on outdoor stages in the fair's exhibit and concession areas.

Free grandstand show Friday night will feature some of California's greatest riders in

motorcycle scramble races, and Sunday night show - also free - brings the popular destruction derby back to the fair.

Boys and girls in Future Farmer and 4-H organizations will have their payoff day in two sale rings - a springer heifer sale at 7:30 p.m., Friday, and market livestock auction, 9 a.m., Saturday.

Annual raisin pie contest, starting at 1 p.m., Friday, will be on a championship basis this year, since three women are in

line to gain permanent possession of the sweepstakes trophy - Mesdames Lydia Martin and Marietta Bates, of Tulare, and Mrs. Raymond Stadden, of Tipton.

To win this trophy, a contestant must earn a total of 100 points in raisin pie baking competition over the three-year period of 1972-73-74, with at least one first-place award during the three-year period.

Tulare County Cotton Wives will present a colorful fashion

show at 8 p.m. Friday; the Popcorn Marionettes and the Allen family will present afternoon and evening shows each day; Kay Austin and Billy Armstrong will do country-western shows on Sunday at 7 p.m. and 9 p.m.; Butler Amusements will be on the midway.

In the horse show arena, it will be Quarter horses on Friday; a junior western horse show on Saturday; and Appaloosa show on Sunday.

The FARM TRIBUNE

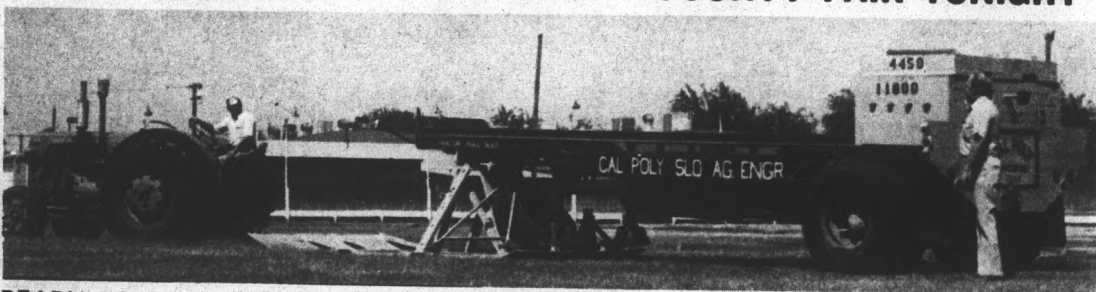
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IT'S TRACTOR VS TRACTOR AT COUNTY FAIR TONIGHT



READY TO go in the Tulare County Fair's tractor pulling contest tonight, September 19 is this sled, designed by students at California Polytechnic University, San Luis Obispo. Technically, it is a weight transfer machine with a flat metal part that drags the ground in front of the wheeled trailer which carries the weight. As a competing tractor pulls the unit, weights, shown at the back in above photo, are moved forward by a sprocket and chain system driven off the wheels, thus increasing the dead weight on the front sled section. At whatever point the tractor finds the weight too great to pull, it loses its forward motion and spins its wheels. Checking out the equipment are Al Slinde, fair manager, at back, and Harvey Lauritzen, on tractor, chairman of the 1975 California Farm Equipment show that will be held on the fair grounds next February. The tractor pulling contest is a new, free feature of the 1974 Tulare County fair; winners will be eligible to compete with winners from four other valley fairs in California Mid-State finals at Fresno, October 13. The 1974 Tulare County Fair, now underway on the County fair grounds in Tulare, will continue through Sunday evening, September 22.

PIXLEY GETS PERPETUAL TROPHY WITH 3rd COMMUNITY BOOTH WIN

TULARE — Pixley retired the perpetual trophy by winning community booth honors at the 1974 Tulare County fair for the third consecutive year, and Tulare County Cotton Wives won top honors in feature booth exhibits.

In Community booth competition, Porterville placed fourth. Photos of the Pixley and Porterville exhibits are shown below.

Other community booth winners were: Tulare, second; Lindsay, third; and Visalia, fifth. In the special feature booths division, the Tulare County Pomona Grange placed second; Woodville Civic club, third; and Tulare Senior Citizens, fourth.

Working on the Pixley community exhibit were Mary Jo Deatherage, chairman; Melba Fry, Vickie McPhetridge, John Risi, Carl Deatherage, Gayland Deatherage; Roy Stanley, and Ronnie Bowles.

Heading the Cotton Wives exhibit committee were Agnes Pelous and Mary Valine; heading a Porterville chamber of commerce booth committee were Dr. Orlin Shires and Don Collins.

The community exhibits - and all other fair exhibits - will be on display through the fair, which runs through Sunday evening.

Both Porterville and Pixley have revolving center pieces, although mechanism in the Porterville display is giving a bit of trouble.

Demonstration On Preparation Of Beef Tonight

TULARE — Demonstration on various cuts that can be obtained from a 7-bone roast and ideas for preparation of the meat will be presented by George Strathearn, manager of the California Beef Council in a special program, tonight, Thursday, 7 p.m., at the Tulare County CowBelles' red barn on the Tulare County Fair grounds.

Strathearn will also discuss the new meat grading program that will be going into effect the end of this year, and "baby beef," a new line of beef that is now coming on the market.

Famous "Santa Maria Barbecue" will be prepared by Jim Flynn, of Ducor, for free beef tasting during the program.

CowBelles will also present a demonstration on beef preparation at the red barn on Saturday, at 7 p.m.

FUTURE FARMERS HAVE EXHIBITS

TULARE — Monache high school has a second place-exhibit and Porterville high school, third-place, in the FFA agriculture theme exhibits division of the Tulare County fair that is now underway in Tulare.

Mt. Whitney, of Visalia, topped the division; Exeter and Orosi Future Farmers followed Monache and Porterville.

In FFA activities exhibits, it

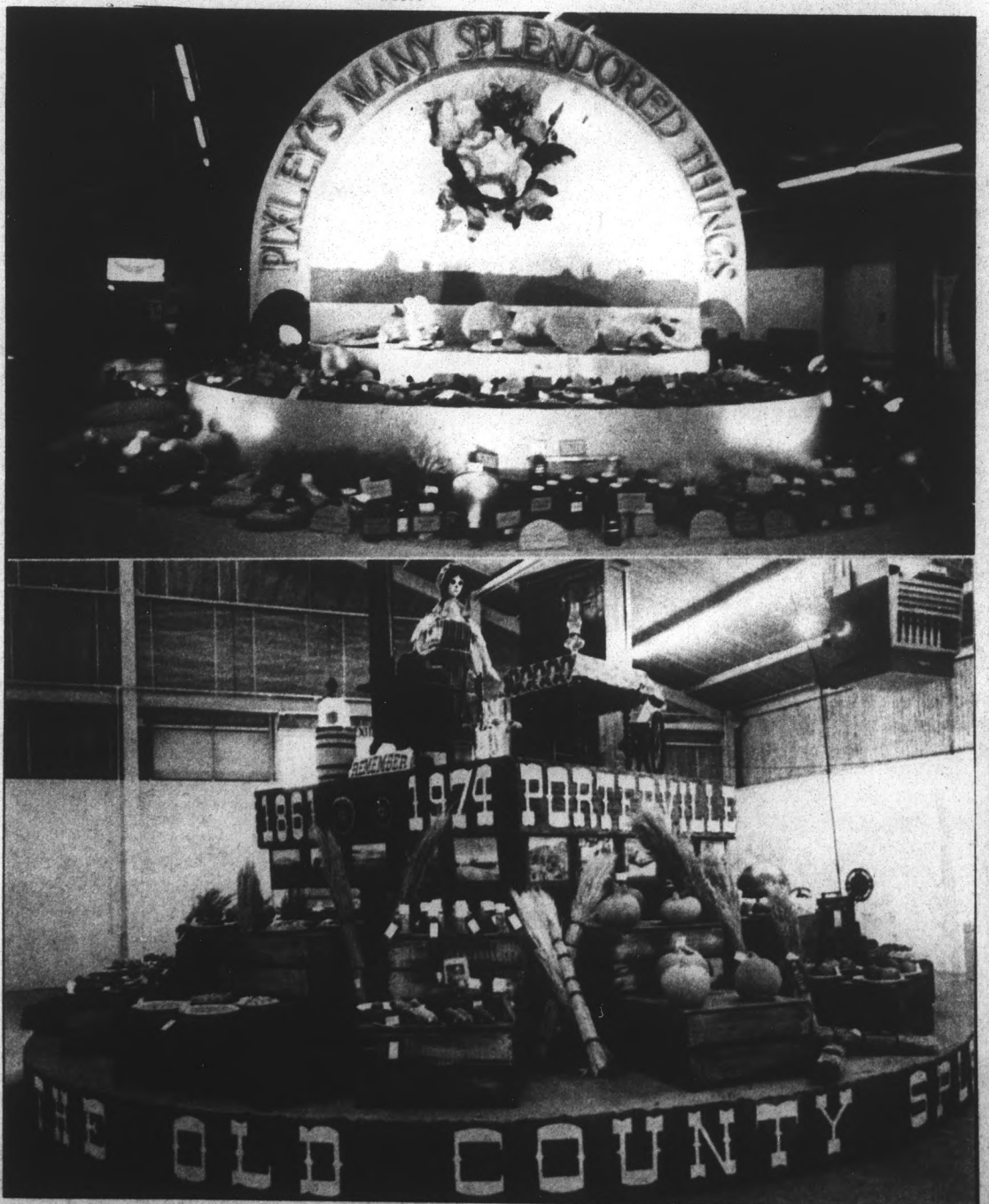
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COUNTY FAIR LIVESTOCK JUDGING FFA TODAY ...4-H TOMORROW

SHOW STARS



BOBBY BARE, upper left, great country-western singer, headlines an all-star cast for a free grandstand show at the Tulare County Fair Saturday night in Tulare, with performances at 7 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. Appearing with him will be Kay Austin, beautiful and dynamic performer in the country-western theme; Billy Armstrong, the nation's No. 1 country fiddle player, and Glenn Ash, versatile musician and comedy entertainer. These stars will also appear Friday afternoon and evening on the fair's outdoor stages; Kay Austin and Billy Armstrong will do afternoon and evening shows on Sunday.



It's Happening In SPRINGVILLE

By Carolyn J. Giddings

Springville has among its number a young lady who may shortly be one of 40 women participating in the California Highway Patrol's pilot program allowing women to become traffic officers. Donna Martin will enter the Highway Patrol Academy in Sacramento in a couple weeks and spend three months there learning how to cope with California's drivers and traffic. Fifteen hundred applications were submitted to the Highway Patrol by interested women and of these only 40 were accepted. Springville is very proud of Donna and we believe she will prove to be a fine officer.

Congratulations to Clyde Simpson, retired Superintendent of Springville School, who married Beth Coulson on September 7th at Lake Tahoe. The Simpsons will make their home in Porterville.

The Springville 4-H recently planted 18 trees on the Springville School grounds. This was part of their Community Pride effort. According to Dorothy Dye, club leader, trees planted were Pin Oaks, Mimosa, Sunburst Locust, Drake Elm, Liquidamber, and Crepe Myrtle. The club plans on taking out the old Sycamore that is dying, and replacing it with another oak. A sprinkler system was installed on the lower level at the school this summer and together with the 4-H Club's beautification, Springville School is really being dressed up. Dorothy Dye also reported that 57 youngsters recently signed up for

membership in the Springville 4-H.

Mrs. Jay Eaton (Becky) recently made quite a journey on foot, fulfilling a dream of several years planning. Accompanied by her father, Ed Houghton of Bishop, and Marvin Tetrick and Fred Dock - Becky hiked from Horseshoe Meadow out of Lone Pine to Quaking Aspen. The party left on August 17th, each carrying a pack of at least 30 lbs. and walked into Quaking Aspen on the fifth day following. Their route included night camps at Tunnel Meadow, Sequoia Park Ranger Station on the Kern River, Grasshopper Meadow and Horse Bridge on the Little Kern. They covered some 38 miles of mountainous terrain. Becky's father, Mr. Houghton, retired last year and the two of them had planned this trip for a long time and Becky says she is ready to go again. Becky and Jay Eaton live in the Triple R Estates and Jay was unable to accompany the hikers as he broke his toe on August 15th.

The new sixth grade teacher at Springville School, Leah Hartley, is the daughter of the teacher who retired from that position at the end of the last school term. Bob Shannon had taught at Springville School for well over 20 years and his daughter is carrying on the tradition.

A legal agreement between the county and Tulare Housing Authority now is being prepared for conversion of the former Springville Hospital site into Senior Citizen housing. On October 7th, at 10 A.M., in the Supervisors chambers, there will be a study session to consider the okay of the 30 year pact with the housing authority.

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15 Sales At Grand National Oct. 25 - Nov. 3

SAN FRANCISCO — Reputation of the Grand National as the West's most significant livestock market place will be enhanced this year, with announcement by officials that 15 animal sales have been scheduled at the classic western show.

The expanded activity provides the Grand National with the most auctions in its 30-year history, Livestock Superintendent Darrel Chapman noted. Sales are set for virtually every day of the show's 10-day run at the San Francisco Cow Palace, October 25 through November 3.

This year's sales schedule culminates a three-year program to develop "at least one major Grand National sales event of interest to every Western rancher, regardless of his animal or breed specialty," Chapman commented. "We have achieved our goal of providing in a single event for the needs of every segment of the livestock industry."

Chapman predicted gross sales in the 10 days of Cow Palace activity would exceed one million dollars this year, an all-time record high.

STATE GRAPE PRODUCTION WILL BE HIGH

SACRAMENTO — Forecast of 1974 California grape production continues at 3,800,000 tons, only 3 percent below the second highest crop of record produced last year.

Production of raisin varieties is expected to total 1,950,000 tons, 17 percent below the 2,353,000 tons produced last year.

Table varieties are forecast at 600,000 tons, up 12 percent from the 537,000 tons produced last year.

Wine varieties at 1,250,000 tons will be a record high and 22 percent above the previous high of 1,022,000 tons produced last year.

Laying of raisins is active as is picking of Thompson Seedless for crushing and fresh market. Harvest of Tokays in the Lodi area is now active.

Demand for table grapes for crushing appears to be low because of the current and previous year's large crops of wine type grapes.

Harvest of early wine varieties began about mid-August and is expected to continue active through September.

California's rice crop this season is estimated at eight percent above last year.

The nation's 1974 pecan crop, at 72,250 tons, is 48 percent below last year's crop.

COUNTY FAIR PROGRAM

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

Pepsi Coupons Honored At Gate

9 a.m. - JUDGE FFA livestock - beef, swine, sheep, dairy

12 noon - Gates and Exhibit Buildings Open

1 p.m. - Open Horse Show

5:30 p.m. - Popcorn Marionettes

6 p.m. - Professional Stage Show, Outdoor Stage

Lyons Family, Bob Brown, Mark Holly

6:30 p.m. - Country Impressions band, Commercial Bldg. Stage

7 p.m. - Professional Entertainment, Outdoor Lawn Stage

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7 p.m. - CowBelles Beef Preparation Demonstration

7:30 p.m. - Novice Horse Show

7:30 p.m. - Country Impressions Band, Commercial Bldg. Stage

7:30 p.m. - Tractor Pulling Contest, Grandstand

8 p.m. - Professional Stage Show, Outdoor Stage

Lyons Family, Bob Brown, Mark Holly

9 p.m. - Professional Entertainment, Outdoor Lawn Stage

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20

8 a.m. - Quarter Horse Show Breeding Classes

9 a.m. - JUDGE 4-H livestock - beef, swine, sheep, dairy

9 a.m. to 12 noon - Raisin Pies received for contest

12 noon - Gates and Exhibit Buildings Open

1 p.m. - Quarter Horse Show Performance Classes

1 p.m. - Raisin Pie Contest Judging

5:30 p.m. - Popcorn Marionettes

6 p.m. - Professional Stage Show, Outdoor Stage

Allen Family

6:30 p.m. - Country Impressions Band, Commercial Bldg. Stage

7 p.m. - Country-Western Music Show, Outdoor Lawn Stage

Bobby Bare, Glenn Ash, Kay Austin, Billy Armstrong

7 p.m. - Quarter Horse Show Performance Classes

7 p.m. - Motorcycles Scramble Races, Grandstand

7 p.m. - Judging for FFA - 4-H overall market livestock champions

7:30 p.m. - Springer Heifer Sale

7:30 p.m. - Country Impressions Band, Commercial Bldg. Stage

8 p.m. - County Cotton Wives Fashion Show, Outdoor Stage

8:30 p.m. - Round Robin Showmanship Contest

8:30 p.m. - Popcorn Marionettes

9 p.m. - Professional Stage Show, Outdoor Stage

The Allen Family

9:30 p.m. - Country-Western Music Show, Outdoor Lawn Stage

Bobby Bare, Glenn Ash, Kay Austin, Billy Armstrong

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21

9 a.m. - Junior Western Horse Show

9 a.m. - Market Livestock Auction

12 noon - Gates and Exhibit Buildings Open

1:30 p.m. - Junior Western Horse Show

5:30 p.m. - Popcorn Marionettes

6 p.m. - Professional Stage Show, Outdoor Stage

The Allen Family

7 p.m. - Country-Western Music Extravaganza, Grandstand

Bobby Bare, Billy Armstrong, Kay Austin, Glenn Ash

7:30 p.m. - Country Impressions Band, Commercial Bldg. Stage

8 p.m. - Professional Stage Show, Outdoor Stage

The Allen Family

8:30 p.m. - Popcorn Marionettes

9:30 p.m. - Country-Western Music Extravaganza, Grandstand

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 22

8 a.m. - Appaloosa Horse Show, Breeding Classes

10 a.m. - Awards Day Program, Outdoor Stage

12 noon - Gates and Exhibit Buildings Open

1:30 p.m. - Appaloosa Horse Show, Performance Classes

5:30 p.m. - Popcorn Marionettes

6 p.m. - Professional Stage Show, Outdoor Stage

The Allen Family

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STEER ROPER

DENVER — Olin Young, of Peralta, New Mexico, was crowned world champion steer roper for 1974 at conclusion of National Finals Steer Roping at Laramie, Wyoming. Young earned \$12,416 during the year - an event record.

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MORE ARRESTS, BIGGER FINES FOR FISH & GAME VIOLATIONS

SACRAMENTO — More persons were arrested for fish and game violations and it cost them more when they showed up in court during the first six months this year than in the comparable period of 1973.

The California Department of Fish and Game reports that arrests for the period ending June 30, 1974, totaled 9,873, up from the 8,834 total for the first six months of last year.

Fines levied by the courts during the first half of this year totaled \$330,150, whereas the total for the comparable period last year was \$287,411.

Arrests and fines for the first six months of 1972 totaled 7,985 and \$255,698, respectively, the DFG said.

Californians Drink Booze In Record Amounts

SACRAMENTO — Californians quaffed distilled spirits, beer and wine in record amounts during the past fiscal year, pouring alcoholic beverage revenue dollars into the State coffers, according to state Board of Equalization records.

Beer consumption led the way in 1973-74 with a 6.4 percent increase over 1972-73 figures, and per capita consumption of 20.7 gallons.

Distilled spirits enjoyed a moderate gain of 3.8 percent over the prior year with a per capita consumption of 2.41 gallons.

Wine consumption in California suffered a turn around, per capita consumption dropping for the first time since 1961-62 to 3.53 gallons per capita, a slight decrease from the prior year's 3.57 gallons per capita.

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Ag. Industry Representatives Meeting With Butz

WASHINGTON — Congressman Bob Mathias has arranged a meeting today in Washington between Earl Butz, Secretary of Agriculture, and spokesmen for the California dairy, livestock, poultry, and

feed grain industries.

Mathias said that he asked for the meeting with the Secretary because of the severe economic difficulties facing the agricultural industries which are major users of feed grains.

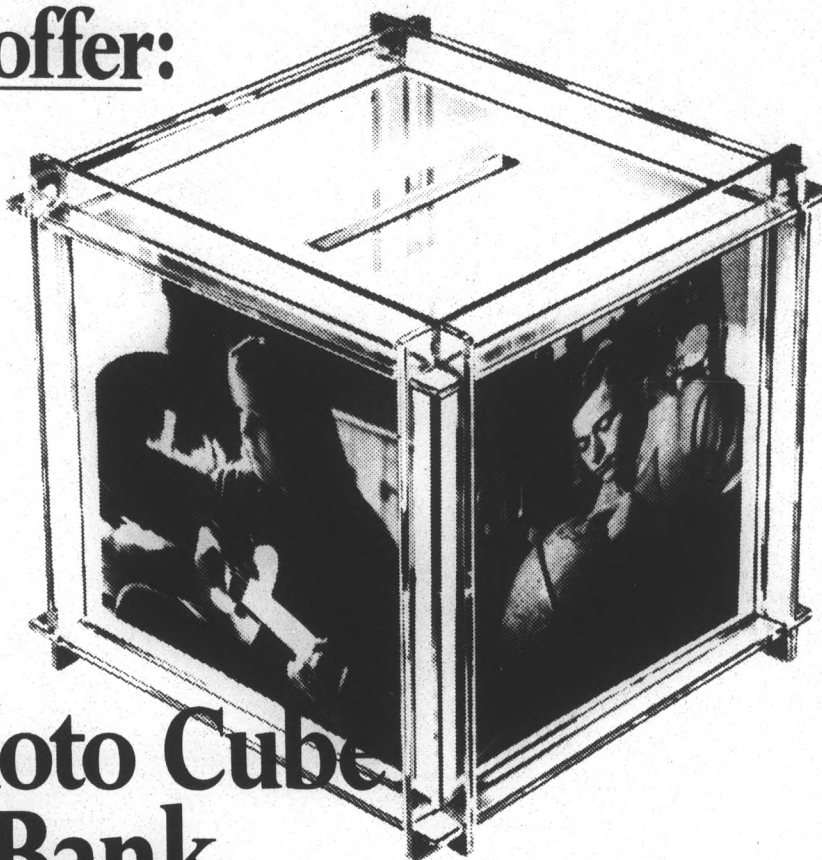
He said the problem is a combination of factors including the high cost of grain substantially attributable to the Mid-west drought in the corn belt; unlimited importing of

agricultural products from foreign countries; and, open export policies for feed grains produced in the United States.

MAID OF COTTON

MEMPHIS — Applications for 1975 National Maid of Cotton are now being accepted by the National Cotton Council. Selection will be made during a two-day ceremony, December 29-30.

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MOBILE BLOOD BANK UNIT IN PORTERVILLE SEPT. 24

PORTERVILLE — Next date for the mobile blood bank unit to be in Porterville is September 24, with drawing at the Elk's Lodge from 3:30 p.m. to 6:30 p.m.

Persons needing donations are reminded to notify the Porterville chamber of commerce office, 784-7502 or Loren Schmid, Mineral King (California Federal) Savings and Loan 784-1320 so friends and organizations will be aware of the need.

Organizations and families are reminded to continue donations to their accounts for future use; individuals are reminded that blood used must be replaced on a three to one basis - three units returned to the blood bank for each unit used, so continual donation programs are necessary.

RIANA BAXLEY TOP COWGIRL

WOODLAKE — Riana Baxley, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baxley of Porterville, was named the All Around Cowgirl at First Annual Tau Alpha Junior rodeo held at

Shady Acres Arena near Woodlake. All proceeds of the junior rodeo will go to the Diabetic Youth Foundation; over 200 young wranglers, age 6-17, from throughout California competed in 12 riding and roping events.



COMPLETING PLANS for Kiwanis Kountry Western Kapers, Thursday, October 3, in the Porterville Memorial auditorium are, from left, back row: Bernie Piotrowski, Harley Baker, John Begley, president of the Porterville Kiwanis club and

general chairman of the Kapers show; Everett Havens, T.A. McDonald, and A.K. Hodgson. Front, from left: Bill Joos, Charles Kelly and Leo McCarthy. The professional show will feature Anacani, the new, Mexican-born artist on the Lawrence Welk show; Ted Jordan, who is Matt Dillon's partner on TV's "Gunsmoke;" the "Living Dolls" Kobelt

Sisters; Mike Caldwell, a funny fat man; Hank Sieman, multi-voiced entertainer; The New Country Sound, a musical group that covers the field from the old frontier to modern music; and Mike Caldwell, master of ceremonies. Funds raised from the Kapers - the 27th annual this year - goes into youth programs sponsored by the Porterville Kiwanis club.

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MATHIAS URGES MEANY TO RESCIND CALL TO SUPPORT CHAVEZ BOYCOTT

WASHINGTON — Congressman Bob Mathias has written a letter to George Meany, president of the AFL-CIO, urging him to rescind his call to the 13.6 million union members to support the secondary boycott of California table grapes and iceberg lettuce instigated by Caesar Chavez and his United Farm Workers Union.

Meany expressed his support for the secondary boycott at a luncheon held in Washington, D.C. honoring Chavez. The secondary boycott has arisen out of a jurisdictional dispute between the Teamsters Union and the Chavez union. Meany said that the AFL-CIO was determined to prevail over the Teamsters and the growers whom he accused of signing "sweetheart" contracts for farm labor.

Mathias pointed out that the AFL-CIO should not support discredited and oppressive

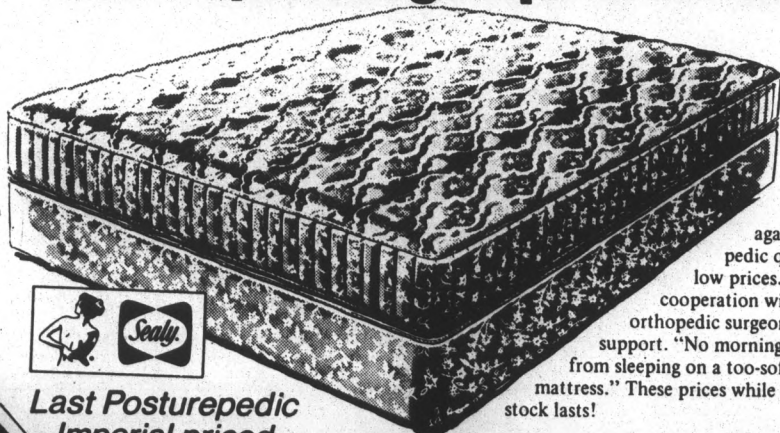
tactics such as secondary boycotts to back one side in this jurisdictional dispute, particularly during an era of high food costs and double digit inflation.

The Congressman did agree with Meany's view that the AFL-CIO should not simply be "cheerleaders" in the farm labor dispute. However, Mathias urged the AFL-CIO to support corrective farm labor legislation pending in the House Education and Labor committee such as the Bill authored by the Central Valley Congressman, rather than choosing to support the Chavez secondary boycott which is detrimental to many individuals who depend on agriculture for their living, but who are not involved in the dispute.

Mathias concluded his letter by urging Meany to support the election of a problem solving Congress instead of a veto-proof Congress.

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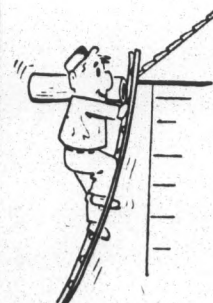
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High Sierra Lakes Being Stocked By Golden Trout Dropped From Plane

SACRAMENTO — Nearly half a million Golden trout are being stocked by airplane during September in 160 high altitude Sierra lakes by the California Department of Fish and Game.

The 453,000 one-inch-long trout will be dropped from the department's specially equipped airplane into carefully selected lakes which would be difficult to stock by any other means.

Golden trout, California's official state fish, are stocked only in high altitude lakes which are their native habitat and

where there are no other kinds of trout with which the Golden might cross-breed.

The 160 lakes to be stocked extend from Johnson lake in Tulare county northward to Morris lake in Trinity county. The plant will be made in a series of eight flights scheduled to get underway this week.

The Golden trout scheduled for "Operation Airlift" were hatched from egg-collecting stations at the 11,000 feet high Cottonwood lakes in Inyo county. These eggs were carried

by pack mules over six and a half miles of rugged mountain terrain to the nearest road where a truck was waiting to carry them to the Mt. Whitney hatchery near Independence.

At the hatchery eggs were placed in incubators, then, after hatch, the fish were raised to the one-inch-long size most suitable for the DFG's unique aerial planting operation.

In preparation for the stocking operation, the fish are placed in specially designed tanks in the department's

powerful twin engine aircraft. The fish are released when the airplane dips low over the lake and they fall a relatively short distance into the water without harm.

This year's Golden trout stocking operation is part of a continuing DFG program to maintain Golden trout populations in suitable high altitude waters, which are stocked regularly at intervals of one to three years, depending on the fishing pressure in each lake. Also scheduled for aerial

stocking this year are 155,000 Cutthroat trout hatched from eggs taken at Heenan lake in Alpine county last May.

TAILWAGGERS

PORTERVILLE — Tulare County 4-H Tailwaggers have a booth at the Tulare County fair and also had a float in the fair parade, Tuesday. Booth features guide dog demonstrations, and money is being raised for Guide Dogs for the Blind, Inc. at San Rafael.

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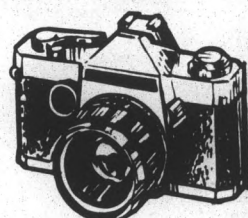
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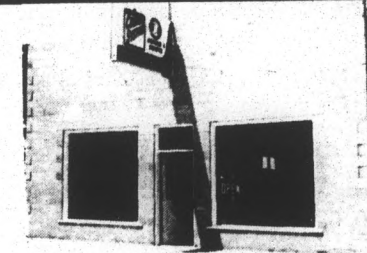
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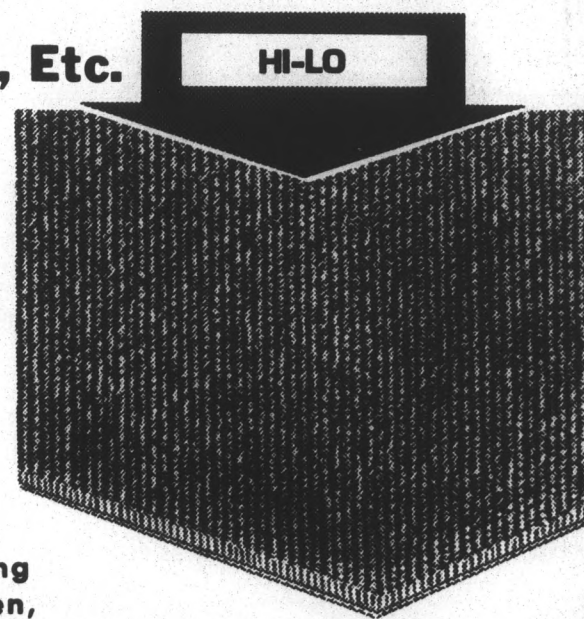
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New Record Enrollments At College

PORTERVILLE - Heavy registration during the closing days before the deadline has brought enrollments in both the day and evening credit classes at Porterville college to new records, according to Dr. Paul R. Kercher, vice president and dean of students.

With the close of late registration last week, day enrollment was 1,368 students, compared with 1,114 at the same time last year, a 22.8% gain.

Students enrolled only in evening classes jumped from 628 last year to 828 this year, an increase of 31.2%.

Total enrollment increased 454 students to a new high of 2,196, 26.06% above last year for both day and evening divisions.

COUNTY 4-H MEMBERS WIN AT STATE FAIR

TULARE - Tulare County 4-H Club members were well represented at Cal-Expo in Sacramento this year said Weston Goss, Tulare County 4-H Youth Advisor.

Those named and their categories are as follows: Beef - (Hereford), Eugene Karnes, Palo Verde 4-H club, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Karnes of Tulare, one first place, one second place and two third places.

Clothing - Julie Airoso of the Palo Verde 4-H club, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Airoso, of Tulare, second placing; Karen Atkin, Golden Hills 4-H club, daughter of Mrs. Catherine Maddox of Springville, first place; Betsy Atkin, Golden Hills 4-H club, daughter of Mrs. Catherine Maddox, second place; Renee Maffia, Palo Verde 4-H club, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Domingo Maffia of Tulare, second place.

Electricity - Steven Knapp of Vandalia 4-H club, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Knapp of Porterville, one first place and one third place.

Plant science - Katherine Homer, Vandalia 4-H club,

WANTED - JOBS FOR STUDENTS AT COLLEGE

PORTERVILLE - Persons or firms in the community who have occasional, part-time or full-time employment needs for college students may use the services of the job placement and work experience office at Porterville college.

Jim Maples, coordinator of work experience and job placement at the college, said a number of students are in need of part-time work to help finance their studies and have listed their skills and availability at the placement office.

Persons who have work to offer may telephone the office from 8 a.m. until noon daily and ask for either Maples or Mrs. Bea Green, the job placement secretary.

Some part-time and full-time jobs, Maples said, may qualify a student to receive work experience credit. Firms interested in participating in this program are asked to contact his office.

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rod Homer of Porterville, one special award, three first places, two second places; Steven Knapp, Vandalia 4-H club, three first places, one second; Richard Homer, Vandalia 4-H club, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rod Homer, one second place.

Small engines - Walter Doyel, Vandalia 4-H club, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Doyel of Porterville, one second place.

Woodworking - Frank Mosqueda, Palo Verde 4-H club, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mosqueda of Tulare, special award; John Mosqueda, Palo Verde 4-H club, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mosqueda of Tulare, second place; Mitch Ormonde, Palo Verde 4-H club, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ormonde, of Tulare, second place.

SUCCESS VALLEY 4-H MEMBERS MEET

SUCCESS VALLEY - Routine business was conducted at first regular 1974-75 meeting of the Success Valley 4-H club, with Tracy Gill presiding.

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Dated August 27, 1974.

WILLIE CHILDRESS
 Administrator of the Estate
 of the above named decedent
 Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk
 Attorneys at Law
 141 East Mill Avenue
 Porterville, California 93257
 Telephone: (209) 784-5064
 Attorneys for Administrator
 First Publication: September 5, 1974.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
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Estate of
 MARIA FORNER, Deceased.
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law office of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California 93257, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

Dated September 6, 1974.

MASSIMO FORNER
 Executor of the Will of the
 above named decedent
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
 SUPERIOR COURT
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Estate of
 HATTIE IRENE SCHROTH, Deceased.
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law offices of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, Attorneys at Law, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California 93257, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
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Estate of
 FLORA BERRY, also known as
 FLORA ROBERSON, Deceased.
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the creditors of the above named decedent that all persons having claims against the said decedent are required to file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the above entitled court, or to present them, with the necessary vouchers, to the undersigned at the law office of Hubler, Burford, Moran & Quirk, 141 East Mill Avenue, Porterville, California 93257, which is the place of business of the undersigned in all matters pertaining to the estate of said decedent, within four months after the first publication of this notice.

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NOTICE OF HEARING
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Tulare County Board of Supervisors will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, October 1, 1974, at 10:15 o'clock a.m., in the Chambers of the Board of Supervisors, Courthouse, Mineral King and Mooney Boulevard, Visalia, California.

The hearing will pertain to an Amendment to the Zoning Regulations, Case No. PZ 74-57, as recommended by the Tulare County Planning Commission in its Resolution No. 4238, for a change of zone from the present C-2 (General Commercial) Zone to the R-A-M (Rural Residential, Special Mobilehome) Zone on the back portion of property located on the north side of Avenue 168, 132 feet west of the intersection of Road 168 and Avenue 168 in the community of Woodville.

All interested persons may appear and be heard at said time and place. By order of the Board of Supervisors.

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- 17-22 - Tulare County Fair, Tulare
- 20 - Monache vs Reedley, Jamison Stadium
- 20 - SSJD League of California Cities. Paul Bunyan
- 27 - "Forty Carats" Opens At Barn Theater
- 27 - PHS vs Hanford, Jamison St.
- 28 - PC vs Barstow, Jamison St.
- 28 - Opening Late Deer Season
- 30 - Close Of Dove Season
- OCTOBER**
- 3 - Kiwanis Kapers of '74
- 6 - Jr. Horse Show, Springville
- 10 - Lions Club Light Bulb Drive
- 19 - Porterville Junior Rodeo

JUNIOR MARINE CORPS BEING ORGANIZED

PORTERVILLE - A Junior Cadet Corps for boys 11-17 years of age is being organized in Porterville, with the group to meet each Saturday to receive instruction similar to that given U.S. Marines.

SSgt. Ed. Doyle, local Marine recruiter, says that boys will be instructed in leadership, drill, map and compass reading, physical fitness, rifle safety, and other subjects related to being a Marine.

Interested boys - or parents - can call SSgt. Doyle at the Marine Recruiting office, 65 W. Putnam, Porterville; phone 781-4247.

California range and pasture conditions, as of September 1, were rated 83 percent of normal - about the same as a year earlier.

DUFFY LISTS CRITICAL ISSUES - INFLATION, FARM LABOR, EDUCATION

HANFORD - Assemblyman Gordon Duffy, in kicking off his campaign for re-election to the Assembly cites inflation, farm labor legislation, and educational finances as the critical issues of his 32nd district, that includes Tulare and Kings counties.

Duffy, seeking his sixth term in the Assembly, listed the economy as the number one issue facing America today.

"Although we must look to the federal government for leadership in our fight to stabilize the economy, there is much we can do at the state level to help," Duffy said.

He emphasized the need to reduce government spending in order to bring inflation under control.

"Government spending is the fuel feeding the fires of inflation. Legislators are going to have to begin saying 'no' to irresponsible and unnecessary spending programs," Duffy stated.

"One of the most unpopular words ever uttered by a politician is the word 'no,'" he said, "but sometimes we need to be strong enough to make hard decisions, to stick up for the best interest of all the people."

Duffy said he felt education and farm labor were high on the list of priorities for the next session of the legislature.

"I am appalled at the fact that we cannot seem to pass a decent equitable farm labor bill," he said. "We have been trying for over ten years to find a formula acceptable to everyone, the farmer, the farm worker, and the unions. We cannot afford another bill like the Allatore bill, passed this year in the Assembly, which substituted special interests for the peoples' interest. Fortunately, AB 3370 was killed in the Senate."

"So far, there have been no winners in the battle for equitable treatment of farm laborers," said Duffy, "only losers. Continued strife hurts everyone, including the customer, who must pay higher prices in the supermarket. I see no reason why a bill insuring secret ballot elections, proper control of secondary boycotts, and equitable consideration for both the farm worker and grower rights cannot be enacted, if we are willing to compromise and cooperate with each other."

Duffy said the educational system in California is going through a very difficult period at the present time. "When the legislature reconvenes, we will have to consider such problems

as sagging enrollment, increasing costs, expansion of some programs and elimination of others, tuition financing and equitable disbursement of state funds. None of these problems can be solved overnight. All require intensive study and innovative ideas if we are going to preserve the California public school system as one of the very best in the nation."

Duffy said he would continue working toward the establishment of a medical school in Fresno. "The people in the San Joaquin valley deserve the best medical attention possible. I will continue to push for a medical school in Fresno, so that we may upgrade both the quality and quantity of health care services in the valley, as well as produce new doctors to meet the burgeoning need for physicians throughout the state."

Lions Clubs Set Light Bulb Sale October 10

PORTERVILLE - The Porterville Breakfast and Porterville Noon Lions clubs will conduct an all-out drive on October 10 to sell electric light bulbs to city residents, from 5 o'clock on, according to an announcement by Club Presidents Dr. Victor Young and Jim Starks. Proceeds will stay in the Porterville community.

The light bulbs will be sold in Project-Paks, each containing two 60, two 75 and two 100 watt bulbs at the regular price of \$2.25.

This is the annual Lions clubs light bulb sale, and the entire membership of the clubs has been organized for the drive.

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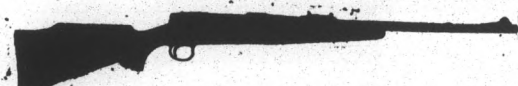
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Economist To Speak At CPCSD Meeting

BAKERSFIELD — "Economic Factors Affecting Cotton" will be the subject of an address by Ronald Schuelke of San Francisco, Bank of America economist, at annual meeting of the California Planting Cotton Seed Distributions (CPCSD) at the Bakersfield Inn Thursday, September 26.

Tom Cherry, manager, said all cotton growers wishing to attend should pick up reservation cards

at their gins and mail immediately to CPCSD in Bakersfield. The meeting will begin with a luncheon at 12 noon.

Other speakers will include Dr. W.D. McClellan of Fresno, area director of the Agricultural Research service, U.S. Department of Agriculture; Don M. Camp of Bakersfield, CPCSD president, and Cherry.

Five directors will be seated for new three-year terms at the meeting: Stan Willis, Bakersfield, and Allie Little, Wasco, elected by Kern County cotton producers; Leonard Gomes, Hanford, Kings county; Joe Galleano, Madera, Madera county, and Jerry O'Banion of

Dos Palos, Merced county.

CPCSD is a non-profit grower organization which produces and distributes cotton planting seed throughout the San Joaquin Valley district.

Cherry said the cotton harvest is underway in Kern county south of Bakersfield, with SJ-2 seed now being collected for 1975 planting from fields designated for seed saving purposes.

The year 1974 has been one of the biggest in the 38-year history of CPCSD, with planting seed in excess of 17,000 tons distributed to growers for an estimated 1,200,000 acres planted to cotton in the six San Joaquin Valley counties.

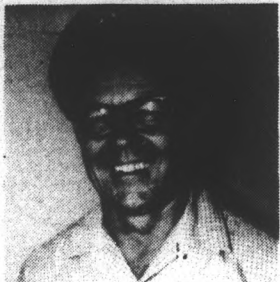
ELK COUNT

SACRAMENTO — Observers participating in this year's annual count of Tule elk in the Owens valley tallied an all-time high of 375 elk, according to the Department of Fish and Game. The previous high in recent years, of 340 elk, was tallied in 1973. Observers reported the following count by herd: Bishop, 93; Tinemaha, 85; Independence, 61; Goodale, 56, and Lone Pine, 80.

Future Farmers

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was Dinuba, Tulare Western, Redwood of Visalia, and Tulare Union.



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JUST 10 days before the 1974 Tulare County Fair was scheduled to open, fire destroyed the home economics building on the fair grounds, top photo, but when fair gates officially opened Tuesday noon, the former building site had been converted into an outdoor stage area, lower photo, as a result of several hectic days of emergency work in clearing

away the burned debris and restoring electrical service on the fair grounds. Future Farmers, 4-H and Industrial education exhibits scheduled for the burned building have been moved into Elliott auditorium; stage shows in the auditorium were moved to the outdoor stage. Fair Manager Al Slinde says that present plans call for replacing the burned building.

(Tulare County Fair photos)

FOSTER GRANDPARENTS, PATIENTS TO ATTEND SACRAMENTO LUNCHEON

PORTERVILLE — Two foster grandparents employed at Porterville State hospital will escort the hospital's resident assigned to them to a special luncheon with Mrs. Nancy Reagan at the Governor's residence in Sacramento on September 24.

Selected to make the trip are Ruth Reynolds, ranking senior foster grandparent on the staff at 83 years of age, and George Zimmerman.

Also accompanying the group

will be Barbara Muck, supervisor of the Foster Grandparent project and Shirley Conley, Psychiatric Technician II.

Travel plans call for motoring to the Fresno Airport where the group will board a PSA courtesy flight to Stockton where the group will complete the trip by auto to the Governor's residence.

The luncheon will be attended by similar groups from state-operated facilities throughout California.

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